RULE OR RUIN

RUSSELL'S ATTITUDE TOWARD THE A. AND M. COLLEGE.

Prediction of a Pennsylvania College President That the College Will go Down in Five Years-The Faculty After the Political Changes-Admitted to Have Been Done for Spoils Alone-Professors Anxious to Leave the College.

Messenger Bureau, Park Hotel,

Raleigh, N. C., June 11. All the local interest here yesterday and today was in the action of the new board of trustees of the Agricultural and Mechanical college last night. The board had four democratic members. Two of these, H. G. Connor and B. F. Dixon, withdrew at 10 o'clock last night, declining to act further with the board. A. Q. Holliday, another democrat, did not vote. Henry E. Bonitz, the remaining one of the four, remained during the whole session. It is said that it was really the purpose of some of the board to oust all the faculty. When asked why it was proposed to do this the reply was: "They wanted pie. It is a simple matter."

The board ousted Herbert B. Battle as state chemist, but did not fill the position, and will have to go out of the state to do it. Dr. Battle had made this station the ranking one in the south. His reports have been translated into French and German and published abroad. There was a spite against him. This was known long ago. It is no secret.

The new executive committee of the college is composed of J. C. L. Harris, A. Q. Holliday, E. V. Cox, J. H. Miller and J. R. Chamberlain.

President Holliday is retained; salary \$2,300; professor of chemistry, W. A. Withers, \$1,800; professor of English, D. H. Hill, \$1,800; professor of agriculture and agriculturists at experiment farm, F. E. Emery, \$2,000, (displacing Professor Irby); professor of mathematics, W. C. Riddick, \$1,500; professor of mechanics, N. R. Craighill, \$1,500; professor of physics, N. S. Barnes, \$1,200. (he will not accept, but goes to Arizona at \$2,200); adjunct proefssor of mathematics, J. J. Britt, \$1,250, (displacing R. E. L. Yates); assistant in mathematics, C. M. Pritchett, \$900; in chemistry, J. H. Bizzell, \$550; in Mathematics and engineering, C. F. Franks, \$540; in English, E. G. Butler, \$1,450. Gerald McCarthy is displaced and his duties as state entomologist devolve upon W. F. Massey, professor of horticulture and botany, F. E. Hege is continued as director of the poultry department at \$1,000. W. A. Withers is made temporary director of the experfment station (vice Battle, displaced.) C. B. Williams is made chief chemist, M. K. Miller first assistant, C. D. Harris second assistant.

John C. Scarborough has returned here from Murfreesboro, where he went to look into the matter of accepting the presidency of the Chowan Baptist Female institute. He has not yet decided whether he will accept.

J. C. L. Harris left today for Lenoir fend it in the suit to force it to furnish fifty convicts, free of all charge, to build a turnpike.

the Agricultural and Mechanical coldege will accept other places as quickly as they can get them and sever their connection with the college. President Crawford, of the Philadelphia Technical college, said when he left here yesterday that if the college were put into politics it would go down in five

A FRAUDULENT CONCERN.

Attachments Against the United States Guide and Information Company.

New York, June 11.-Several suits for the recovery of money have been instituted against the United States Guide and Information Company, and the sheriff has received attachments against the concern and against Ernest V. Marschall, the manager. The company was incorporated under the laws of New Jersey, in 1896 with a capital stock of \$1,000,000. One at tachment for \$30,000 is in favor of Mrs. Mary S. Dimock, of Keswick, Virginia, against Ernest V. Marschall, manager of the company, and another attachment is for \$950 in favor of Samuel Penniman, the assistant treasurer of the company. Both of these attachments are for money ad

Putney and Bishop, of this city, are at torneys for Mrs. Dimock. Mr. Putney said that there was a story of fraud behind the suit, but that he would not discuss the case until the papers had been

Lawyer W. A. Sweetser, counsel for Mr Penniman, said that his client had ad-Sweetser said, was the head and tail of the company. When the company was organized, it was claimed that \$100,000 of stock had been subscribed for. This money was not paid in, however, owing to false representations, Mr. Sweetser said, Mr. Panniman and others had put money into the concern. Penniman put in \$5,000 and the stock he received, Mr. Sweetser said, was not worth the paper it was

Mrs. Dimock had subscribed \$5,000 originally and was subsequently induced to put in \$25,000 more. Her son was promised a position in the company at \$40 a week. The company, or Mr. Marschall, claimed to have contracts for advertising, amounting to \$60,000. This, Mr. Sweetser said, was false. The company proposed to run a newspaper, guide books, and to do a general advertising and collection business. The officers of the company could not be found this evening.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose great-

ly benefits. T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." 75 cents and \$1.00. Sold by J. H. Hardin, Druggist, Wilmington, N. C.



SENSATION IN NEWBERN.

The Democrate Haul Mr. Clark Over the Coals-Our Sister City Afflicted With two Boards of Aldermen-The Democrats in the Saddle-Other Matters of Interest. (Correspondence of The Messenger.)

New Bern, N. C., June 10. The democrats of the Second ward, in this city met at the court house last night to call Mr. James F. Clark, the councilman-elect from this ward, to give an account of his actions in deserting his party and going over to the Russell gang.

Mr. Clark was given permission to address the meeting, and he did so with an hour's speech, but did not undertake to vindicate his course except on the ground that he desired that there

should be a constitutional board, etc. There was a committee appointed to draft resolutions condemning his action, but as Mr. Clark confessed his error and seemed to be very sorry for his action, the resolutions of the committee were very light on him.

The citizens of New Bern regret very much that he should make such a slipup, as he stood very high here as a man of varacity and political integrity. This action should teach those who are to govern this city to be careful hereafter and not try to barter away the rights of the voters, in order that pie hunters may be gratified. Mr. Clark was sorely pressed into this action, and no doubt he regrets it very much.

The Ellis democratic board is at the old stand doing business, taxes being paid to his collector. The Dennison republican board meets

about as often as the Ellis board but haven't got any money, consequently cannot do anything. It, however, claims to be the lawful board and entitled to everything in the shape of money.

The truck farmers in this section have made some money this season on their shipments. Irish potatoes are very nearly all shipped. The crop was not as good as usual, the dry weather materially effected it. We are having nice rains now.

Trade in the city seems to be somewhat on the mend. The truck money in circulation is the cause. It is to be hoped it will continue.

Judge Henry R. Bryan has arrived home from holding courts in the eastern counties. The judge is always welcome home. Le is quite a favorite in Our firemen boys are talking of their

annual trip to Fayetteville this year and say they are going to bring back the belt.

Everything is serene and quiet today.

Strained Relations With Spain.

London, June 11.-The Madrid correspondent of the standard says: The Madrid papers are re-echoing the popular anxiety and curiosity concerning the attitude which the United States will adopt in the face of recent events.

The sensation caused by the reports of

a change of attitude increased when it was announced that American tribunals had acquitted fillbusters who had been stopped by an American manas counsel for the penitentiary to de- of-war. Much suppressed indignation can be discerned between the lines of press articles, of every shade of opinion, bitterly resenting the idea of Amer-It is said several of the professors of lican interference in Cuba. Everything shows that Spain is drifting again into strained relations with the United States. Indeed, most Spaniards are convinced that the signficance of the issue lies in the fact that the queenregent has given another trial to the Canovas-Weyler policy, chiefly because the premier and the captain general are | 'tion. both considered best able to show a bold front and to act with energy in case President McKinley and Secretary Sherman should decide to intervene upon humanitarian and philanthropic

Any suggestion of mediation shows feelings of the Spaniards. Any such step on the part of America would induce all parties, even the republicans and the Carlists, to rally round the cabinet. Although official circles and the press affect to feel confidence in the friendly disposition of America, it is easy to detect unusual anxiety as to the news from Washington.

British Troops Assassinated.

Bombay, June 11.-A dispatch received here from Simla, the residence of the Indian government officials during the heated periods of the year, announces serious trouble on the northern frontier and the massacre of a number of British officers and native soldiers in the government employ. The first report said that Colonel Bunny, two officers and twenty-five privates vanced the \$950, to help pay expenses in had been killed and that three officers the office of the company. Marschall, Mr. | and twenty-five men had been wounded. In addition, numbers of mules and

horses are reported killed. London, June 12.-The Times correspondent at Simla says: Mr. Gee was sent to fix the site of a new outpost at Sherani and to recover the fine imposed on local tribesmen for past misconduct. The troops after the attack retired towards Dattakhel, sustaining a running fight for four miles. As the Waziris were in such strength it was impossible to do more than act on the defensive. Two companies of native infantry sent from Pattakhel, reinforced the party which brought its guns in safety. No reason is yet given for this sudden outbreak but the garrison in Tochivalley will be inforced pending a decision as to punitive operations. The present carrison consists of two regiments of native infantry, one mounted battery and a squadron of cavalry.

Senator Aldrich Compelled to Leave Washington.

Washington, June 12.-Senator Aldrich, republican manager of the tariff bill, left the city today by order of his physician. He has been confined to his room at the Arlington almost all the time since the first week of the tariff debate, with an aggravated attack of indigestion and dysentery. He was able to be present at the first caucus of the sugar schedule and was taken with a relapse afterwards. As he did not improve, his physician directed that he should go where he would have absolute rest and be free from the possibility of any consultation with him on the tariff. The senator accordingly went to his Rhode Island home. It is considered doubtful about the senator whether he will return during the pendency of the tariff bill; but his physician, Dr. Magruder, said this afternoon that he would be surprised if the senator did not return the middle of next week.

Aberdeen Telegram: We regret to learn that Mr. T. Batley, of Carthage, had a slight stroke of paralysis on last Monday. We hope he will soon recover.

THE WEEK AT CHARLOTTE.

Close of the Woman's Exposition of the Carolinas-Hon. M. W. Ransom in the City-A Fine Game of Base Ball-Compliments to the Messenger.

(Correspondence of The Messenger.)

Charlotte, N. C., June 11. The Women's Exposition of the Carolinas closes its doors to the public tomorrow, and it is a matter of general regret that this is to be done so soon. The exposition has been a great success, and it is believed that it could be kept open another month on a paying basis. The women of Mecklenburg certainly deserve the greatest possible praise for the complete and successful way in which they have managed the whole affair and they can now rest from their arduous labors of the past month secure in the knowledge that by the general public, and that the exposition has been a great source of delight and gratification to the people of Charlotte. Several special features have been given at the exposition during the past week, the most novel and interesting of which were two old fashioned spelling bees, given by The Evening News, of this city. Webster's old blue back speller was used, and the fun was something worth seeing. The building was packed on both nights, and the spellers were legion. It was truly amusing to watch the match going on. Some of the best spellers would go down on the smallest words, and some of the poorer ones would come out "by guess." The line would soon dwindle down, however, to a very few, and then the interest would become intense. The prizes on the first night were won by Mr. Jenkins, of The Evening News, and Mr. Hunter, and Puck. those of the second night were won by Miss MeLean and Mr. Dosher.

Hon. M. W. Ransom passed through Charlotte this week on his way to Davidson college, where he delivered the commencement address. General Ransom stopped at the Buford hotel while in the city, where he was seen by your correspondent. He is looking remarkably well, far better than when he was here two years ago; in fact he is apparently in better health than in years. He seems as strong and robust as many a young man of half his years, and looks as if he would live to honor his state for many years. The general is the same gracious, polished gentleman as he has always been, and as he will always be unto the end. It is said that General Ransom has always been pointed to as a model of graciousness and gentlemanly consideration, and there is no question but that he deserves to be honored with these terms. not care to discuss the subject, but would leave the field to the younger

The greatest event of the week has been the base ball game which took place this afternoon between the Charlotte and the University of Virginia teams. This game was one of the prettiest ever seen in Charlotte. Both sides 'played ball" from the start and the game was intensely interesting from the beginning to the end. The game closed with the score 10 to 7 in favor of the university team. Charlotte los the game in the third, fourth and hfth innings, in which the university team scored nine runs. The feature of the game was Charlotte's good playing from the sixth to the ninth innings in which the university team was shut out. The university boys are certainly a fine looking set of young men, and they clearly demonstrated their ability to play a good, first-class game of ball. Charlotte fell in love with them, and trusts that they will come again. They will always be given a rousing recep-

About 75 to 100 people will leave here rate is becoming more and more popular as it becomes better understood, and no other feature has ever been inever so limited, the opportunity of spending three days by the old Atlantic, and there is probably nothing that will do a person, tired out with the heat and dust of an inland town, so much real good as the bracing and refreshing breezes to be found at Wrightsville and Carolina beaches, to say nothing of the health giving properties of surf bathing.

In closing it would certainly not be amiss to say a few words in praise of carry.-Boston Transcript. last Sunday's Messenger. It was indeed a wonder in North Carolina journalism, and was a paper that would do credit to a city four times as large as Wilmington. If the people of Wilmington knew how highly The Messenger has been spoken of by outsiders during the past two months they would hasten to show to a greater extent than ever before their appreciation of such commendable enterprise. The last Sunday's Messenger was, truly, a literary feast, and a person who could not find something therein to please his fancy much, indeed, be hard to suit. A prominent newspaper man of Charlotte, who knows whereof he speaks, said to your correspondent, in speaking of The Messenger of last Sunday, that it was the best paper that had ever been issued in North Caro-

Earthquake Shock in Calcutta.

Calcutta, June 12.-A severe earthjuake shock, lasting some seconds, was felt here at 5 o'clock this afternoon. In this city, although a number of buildings were cracked, there was no serious damage done.

The shock was the severest on record and lasted altogether five minutes. In parts of the city few of the houses escaped. Some were simply damaged, while others are in ruins. Fifteen feet of the spire of the cathedral has fallen, and the spires of a number of other churches collapsed. The town hall, the high court and a number of other public buildings are badly damaged. Eight natives were killed and many others were injured. The shock occurred just before the evening drive. The people rushed from their houses en masse, many of them but half dressed. Serious damage is reported from Hoogley and Burdwan.

A Deliberate Assassination.

Charleston, S. C., June 11.-A special to The News and Courier from Laurens, S. C., says: William Franks and his father, Barksdale Franks, went to the house of Mason Clark, eight miles from this city last night and called Clark out. An altercation ensued and William Franks shot Clark to death with a pistol, three shots taking effect in the breast. Clark was a farmer and Franks was his employee, but was spending the night with Barksdale Franks, who is a neighboring farmer. The Franks surrendered last night and are in jail. Clark leaves a wife and children, while Franks has been mar-

ried three weeks. Franks is an Albino.

Newspaper Walfa.

Ruling Passion.-Sprockett-We've got a baby at our house. Handel Barrs -You don't say so! '96 or '97?-Boston Transcript.

"You never heard of a warship going to the bottom on her trial trip." " suppose the excitement keeps her up."

Mistress-You were snoring awfully in the night, Mary. Mary-Yis's; but it was out of worrukin' hours.-Boston Transcript.

"Have Scribbler, the author, and his wife made it up?" "Oh, yes. She now reads what he writes and he eats what she cooks."-Tit-Bits. "I hear that Mr. Savant is living in

the gratest poverty-practically starving. Can nothing be done for him?" "Oh, yes. His friends began about a year ago to collect funds for a monument to him."-Fliegende Blaetter.

No Easier Way .- "Papa," said Sammy Snaggs, as he paused, pencil in their work has been highly appreciated hand, "how can you make a Greek cross?" "Mention the concert of Europe to him," replied Mr. Snaggs.-Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph.

An Explanation .- "Doctor," asked the seeker after knowledge of the clergyman, "why do people get on their knees to pray instead of standing?" "They want to save their soles," responded the clever minister .- Harlem Life.

Mr. Riche-It may be rather out of place for a father to say it, but either of my daughters is worth her weight in gold. The Count-So? I think it is the stout daughter I love; and yet I have supposed that my heart went out to the petite one.-Boston Transcript. An Attraction.-Johnny-Mamma,

wish our family belonged to the Salvation Army. Mamma-Why? Johnny -Because, if we did, I could beat the drum when I go to Sunday school .-The Fond mother-Everybody says

he is such a pretty baby! I'm sure the poet was right when he said that "Heaven lies about us in our infancy. The Uncle (unfeelingly)-But he should have added, "So does everybody else."

A Come Down,-"Poor Madge! Before her husband failed she used to have such an elegant turnout." "Yes; and now she has a bicycle and a bloomer suit and won't turn out for anything less than a trolley car."-Indianapolis Journal.

"Wiggins had to have his telephone taken out." "Why?" "Well-he had told his wife they must cut down expenses. and so she called him up every afternoon to see whether he had gone to base ball."-Detroit Free Press.

In the Tennessee Mountains,-"Did what's the matter with him-got the He said he was out of politics and did grip?" "No, sir; it hain't no grip. I reckon he's got a little touch of the consumption."-Harper's Weekly.

A-Well, and how did you sleep last night? Did you follow my advice and begin counting? B-Yes. I counted up to 18,000. A-And then you fell asleep? B-No: then it was time to get up.-Tit-Bits.

"I'm beginning," said Senator Sorghum, indignantly, "to think that there's no such thing as senatorial courtesy!" "What has happened?" "A colleague knew exactly how sugar was going and refused to tell me anything about it."-Washington Star.

Plain Sailing .- "It seems to me," said one young woman, "that Harold talks more clearly on the tariff than anyone else I have ever heard." "Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "He has the advantage of not knowing enough about it to get his ideas confused."-Washington Star.

Irate Customer-See here! That suit of clothes I bought of you yesterday is full of moth holes. Dealer-Das is all recht, mine frient. Moths never eat cotton, an' ven ladies an' shentlemens see dose holes dey knows you vears. tomorrow for Wilmington. The \$2.00 only high-priced all-vool goots.-New York Weekly.

A Rare Jewel .- "My wife," said the young man, in earnest tones, "is a augurated that will please the people jewel." "They all say that," said the better during the summer than will elderly man, apparently speaking to but little knowledge of the temper and | this. It gives every one, be his means | the wall. "But I know. Of course, you won't believe it, but she watches me take my bicycle to pieces without offering a single suggestion."-Indianapolis Journal.

Mrs Greene-Tell me, aren't there any expresses running to your town? Mrs. Gray-Of course there are; plenty of them. Mrs. Greene-My husband has told me he has seen your husband almost every night on his way home, and he always had more than he could

Husband-Did you notice how illtempered my colleague was tonight? He was annoyed because I brought you a new set of jewelry. Now he will have to get a new set for his wife, too. Wife-A disagreeable fellow that man is. If I were you I would annoy him often.-Fliegende Blaetter.

Her Clever Device.-"Flossie didn't have to write much of a graduating essay." "Why not?" "The title of it was so long." "What was it?" "It was Whence Does the Human Soul Derive the Remarkable Power of Investing External Circumstances With the Lurid Hue of Its Own Feelings?"-Chicago Record.

Twentieth Century Love Scene .-Suitor-Ah, dearest Irma, what ecstasy lies in this sweet passion of love which makes the heart flutter and the pulse beat faster. Irma (recent graduate of a medical school, seizing his hand)-Ha! villain! You are deceiving me! Your pulse is quite normal-only seventytwo. Begone!-Fliegende Blaetter.

Premature Conclusion .- "That was my Cousin George I was out driving with yesterday afternoon. You ought to see him manage a team. He is the most expert driver with one hand I ever saw." "Drove with one hand, did he, Miss Julia?" "Sir! He talked to me with the other one. He is deaf and dumb."-Chicago Tribune.

What She Meant .- "She gave me a beautiful nickel-plated cyclometer the last time I called," he said joyfully. "What do you suppose she meant by that?" "Keep moving," was the heartless explanation, and every one who knew the recipient of the gift felt that it had been properly interpreted .- Chicago Evening Post.

DR. MOTT'S NERVERINE PILLS.



prostration and all nervous diseases of the generative organs of either sex, such as Nervous Prostration,

BEFORE AND AFTER USING Failing or Lost anhood, Impotency, Nightly Emissions, Youth ful Errors, Mental Worry, excessive use of To-bacco or Opium, which lead to Consumption and Insanity. With every \$5 order we give a written guarantee to cure or refund the money. Sold at \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL PANY, Cleveland, Ohio.

For Sale by W. H. Green & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

COTTON REPORT.

Wilmington, N. C., June 12. Receipts of cotton today, — bale. Receipts to same day last year. - bale This season's receipts to date-234,290 Receipts to same date last year-170.29 The quotations posted at 4 o'clock today at the exchange: Cotton steady. Ordinary Good ordinary..... Low middling.....

NAVAL STORES. Spirits turpentine-Machine barrels quiet at 254c; country barrels quiet at

Tar firm at \$1.00. Crude turpentine steady; hard \$1.30; yelow dip \$1.80; virgin \$1.90. Prices same day last year-Spirits turentine at 23c and 22%c; rosin \$1.32% and 11.37½; tar \$1.10; crude turpentine \$1.30 1.70 and \$1.80. Receipts today-140 casks spirits turpen-

Rosin firm at \$1.25 and \$1.30.

tine, 336 barrels rosin, 111 barrels tar, 16 barrels crude turpentine. Receipts for same date last year-200 casks spirits turpentine, 670 barrels rosin, 37 barrels tar, 52 barrels crude turpentine

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

FNANCIAL.

New York, June 12 .- Money on call easy at 1/214 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3@4 per cent. Sterling exchange dull and steady with actual business in bankers bills at \$4.87 for demand, and at \$4.85% 984.86 for sixty days. Posted rates \$4.861 firm; government bonds firm.

STOCKS. Atchison...... 1248 N. J. Central.... 8238 B. & O... 1014 Pittsburg ... Ches. & Ohio..... 17% Pullman Pal.....163 Chic, Alton......148 | Reading....... 229 Chic. B. & Q..... 791/2 Rich. Ter...... Chic. Gas..... 8614 Rich. Ter., pre... Con. Gas..... .161 Sug. Refin......1243 Cot. Oil Cer..... T. C. & I..... 23 Del. Hudson.....109 U. S Express.... 38 Del. L. & W. .151% Wells Far. Ex...104 Fort Wayne. West. Union..... 81% .165 Illinois Central... 97 W. & L. E...... Lead Trust...... 2838 W. & L. E., pre. 21 L. & N..... 49% Gen. Electric L. & N. A.... 1/2 Nat. Linseed..... 87 Southern Ry..... Man. Consol. Mem. & Char ... 15 Southern, pre.... M. & O.... 20 Tobacco...... Nat. Cordage BONDS.

- Tobacco, pre.....104 N. U S 4's reg....1241/2 Missouri 6's.....100 N. U S 4's cou....1243 N. Caro. 6's.....127 U S 5's reg...... 113% N. Caro, 4's..... 105 U S 5's cou........113% S. Caro. non-fu... USZS reg. Pac. 6's, of '96....1011/2 T. Old S. 6's..... 60 Ala. Class A..... 106 Va. Cen..... 64 Ala, Class B..... 10612 Va. deferred..... Ala, Class C..... 100 L. & N. Un..... 821 Ala. Currency....100 | Southern 5's..... La. N. cou 4's.... 98 N. G. C. G. 5's.... 1111/2 to wipe out the early gain. COTTON. Liverpool, June 12.-1 p. m.-Closing-Cotton, spot very dull business; prices

lower: American middling fair 4 17-32d good middling 4 7-32d; American middling dinary 3 25-32d; ordinary 3 19-32d; sales including 2,100 American, Receipts 5,200 all American. Futures opened quiet but steady with a moderate demand and closed steady at the decline, American middling, low middling clause June 4 2-64d buyers; June and July 4 1-64d,

4 2-64d buyers; July and August 4d, 4 1-64d buyers; August and September 3 61-64d sellers; September and October 3 54-64d, 3 55-64d sellers; October and November 48-64d, 3 49-64d sellers; November and De cember 3 46-64d sellers; December and January 3 44-64d, 3 45-64d buyers; January and February 3 44-64d, 3 45-64d buyers: February and March \$ 45-64d buyers; March and April 3 44-64d sellers. New York, June 12 .- Cotton steady; mid dling 7 11-16c; receipts none; sales 1,813

spinners 1,424; stock 124,134. Total today and Consolidated: Net re ceipts 583; exports to Great Britain 82 France 6,043; stock 257,740. Total since September 1st: Net receipts 5,577,152; exports to Great Britain 2,968,475; France 691,829; continent 2,068,105; channel

Cotton futures closed steady; sales 21, 900 bales. Closing: January 6.79; February 6.82; March 6.86; June 7.16; Jup 7.17 August 7.15; September 6.90; October 6.74 November 6.72; December 6.75. Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands 7 11-16c; middling gulf 7 15-16c; sales

PORT RECEIPTS. Galveston-Steady at 7 5-16c; net receipts Norfolk-Steady at 7 9-16c; net Baltimore-Nominal at 7%c Boston-Steady at 7 11-16c; net re

Wilmington-Steady at 71/2c. Philadelphia-Quiet at 7%c. Savannah-Quiet a amhtce wdoramhce Savannah-Nominal at 74c; net receipts

New Orleans-Steady at 7 7-16c; net ceipts 375. Mobile-Nominal at 74c; net receipts 5. Memphis-Firm at 7 3-16c; net receipts 3; gross receipts 153. Augusta-Steady at 7%c; net receipts 61 Charleston-Steady at 74c; net re-

Cincinnati-Quiet at 7%c; net receipts Louisville-Quiet at 7%c St. Louis-Quiet at 7 5-16c; net receipts Houston-Steady at 7 5-16c; net receipts

RAIN, PROVISIONS ETC. Chicago, June 12.-The leading futures were as follows: Open. High. Low. Clos.

| w neat- | | | | |
|--------------------|--------------|------------|-------------|----------|
| July | 681/8 | | 67% | 68% |
| September | 6334 | 64% | 631/2 | |
| December | 65^{3}_{8} | 661/4 | 651/4 | 65% |
| Corn- | | | | |
| June | 24 | 243% | 237/4 | 2414 |
| July | | 24% | 241/4 | 24% |
| September | 251/2 | 2578 | 25% | 25% |
| Oats- | | | | |
| July | 1774 | 1814 | 1734 | 181/4 |
| September | 1776 | 181/4 | | |
| Mess pork- | | | 1.0 | |
| July | \$7.55 | \$7.60 | \$7.50 | \$7.5214 |
| September | 7.60 | 7.79 | 7.60 | 7.621/2 |
| Lard- | | | | |
| July | \$3.621/2 | \$3.671/2 | \$3.621/2 | \$3.65 |
| September | 3.721/2 | 3.7732 | 3.7212 | 3.75 |
| Short Ribs- | | | | |
| July | \$4.3216 | \$4.37% | \$4.3214 | \$4.35 |
| September | 4.3772 | 4.45 | 4.37% | 4.40 |
| Cash quotation | ons we | re as fo | ollows: | Flour |
| steady; No. 2 | spring | wheat. | 70/2 70% | c: No. |
| 3 spring wheat | | No. 2 | red, 735 | a 76%: |
| No. 2 corn, 241 | 41245 C | No. 2 | oats, 18 | e; No. |
| 2 white, f. o. b | ., 21@22 | %c; No | 3 whi | te. 19% |
| @22c; mess por | k, per | bbl., \$7. | 50 2 \$7.55 | ; lard, |
| per 100 lbs., \$3 | 1.60; she | ort ribs | sides, | loose. |
| \$4.20@\$4.45; dry | salte | d shou | lders. | boxed. |
| 5@5%c; short | clear s | ides, be | xed 41 | 2044c; |
| whiskey, disti | | | | |
| gal., \$1.19. | | | - | - A |
| New York, | June : | 12Flo | ur qui | et but |
| | | | | |

steadier; Minnesota patents \$4.00@\$4.15; winter patents \$4.50\asta.80; winter straights \$4.10@ \$4.20.

Wheat-Spot firm; No. 1 northern, New York, 771/2c afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth 7814c affoat. Options opened easier under foreign selling, weak cables and favorable weather news, but turned strong and advanced decidedly on covering prompted by grass hopper reports from the northwest and crop damage in Russia, closed 1/61/20 net higher. June 751/4@75%c; July 74%c September 70%c.

Corn-Spot steady; No. 2, 2014c elevator 304c affoat. Options opened barely steady but rallied with wheat and closed firm at %c advance. June closed at 29%c; July 91/4c; September 30%c

Oats-Spot quiet; No. 2, 22c. Lard-Firm; western steam \$3.99; refined firm; continent \$4.20; South American \$4.65; compound 3%@4%c.

lear \$9.50@\$10.75; family \$9.50@\$10.50. Eggs-Quiet; state and Pennsylvania 11 612c; western fresh 104611c; southern

Rice-Steady; domestic fair to extra 66c; Japan 44644c. Molasses-Steady; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice 22/228c Peanuts-Quiet: fancy handpicked 350 c; other domestic 25473c.

Cotton Seed Oil-Quiet, but firmer; prime crude 20c; prime crude, f. o. b., mills 160174c; do summer yellow 234c; butter grades 26028c; prime white 260284c. Coffee-Options opened dull at 5 points lower in sympathy with easier European markets. Trading was of a local turn and small, even for a half holiday. Brazilian receipts were moderate. Warehouse deliveries fair; closed dull, unchanged to 10 points lower; sales 2,250 bags, including June \$7.25; July \$7.25; September \$7.35.

Spot coffee—Rio quiet: Cordova 114,6174c.

Sugar—Raw strong: fair refining 3c;
Centrifugal & test 34c; refined firm;
mould A. 5c; standard A. 45c; confectioners A. 45c; cut loaf and crushed 54c; powdered 5%c; granulated 6%c; cubes 5c.

NAVAL STORES. New York-Rosin quiet; strained, com-mon to good \$1.70@\$1.75. Turpentine quiet at 2714/1128c Savannah-Turpentine firm at 254c: sales 1.25; receipts 1.747. Rosin firm, unchanged; sales 14; receipts 3.941. Charleston-Turpentine quiet at 25c; sales none. Rosin firm; sales none; strained, common to good \$1.25 to \$1.30.

The New York Stock Market. New York, June 12.-Sugar asserted its

leadership of the market quite emphatically today and the tone of the market was most wholly dependent upon developments in it. The obvious fact that there was selling to take profits on sugar was the potent influence in causing realizing 634.87 and 34.886 34.881 Commercial bills sales in other stocks. The consequence at 34.85. Bar silver 59%. Mexican dollars is an average loss for the day in the 47%. State bonds dull; railroad bonds prices of stocks. There was vigorous prices of stocks. There was vigorous manipulation in Sugar to hold it at the high level and even to raise that level on the strength of benefits to accrue to the company from the sugar schedule adopted by the senate. But those who have benefitted by the week's rise in Sugar argue that the present prices represents the value to the stock from the senate's action and that the next influence to be taken account of is the conference committee of the two houses. As the action of this committee will in all likelihood be less favorable rather than more favorable to the refined sugar industry than is the senate schedule, traders were inclined to discount a future fall in the price. There was some realizing in Sugar in accordance with this view, in addition to realizing sales, which combined to carry the price down nearly 2 points from the highest. The dealings in the stocks represented one-fifth of the total transactions. The fall in Sugar carried down prices throughout the list and practically obliterated early gains except in a few instances. The coal stocks were quite notably strong in the early dealings It is a noteworthy fact that these stocks make up the only group in which there is my short interest left after the recent continuous advance of prices. This fact had no small part in today's strength in the stocks, but did not save them from feeling the effects of the late selling movement, but not to a sufficient extent

The week just closed is the third showing continued aggressive strength in the stock market. The market has been sustained all week by the aggressive strength of Sugar, growing out of the agreement of the caucus of senate repub-4 3-32d; low middling 3 29-32d; good or- Heans upon a sugar schedule which is viewed with approval by the friends of 4,000 bales, 1,000 specualtion and export and the Sugar Company. This being the case, it was natural that the whole market should give way to agree under the break in Sugar today on realizing sales. But the weak nevertheless represents, as a whole, another step forward in the progress toward a higher range of values which has been going on ever since the senate took up the tariff bill and demonstrated that it could dispose of it with reasonable promptitude. This, with the decision of the supreme court against the right of the inter-state commerce commission to fix the railroad rates gave distinct impetus to the market which has endured ever since. A most striking feature of the week's market has been the comparative inactivity, but firmness, of the Granger stocks, which strongly led the early improvement. They have halted during the past week while other groups in the market were taken in hand and brought up to their level, Professional traders have wrought this result largely by the selling of grangers to take profits and putting the proceeds into other stocks preparatory to a bull movement in them. The net changes in the grangers have been trivial, part showing gains and part losses. The declaration of the usual quarterly dividend on Western Union of 14 per cent. solved a long standing doubt in Wall street, and this, together with the favorable quarterly statement of the company and the increased earnings of Manhattan served to take these favorites of the bears out of their hands and then drive them to cover.

Quite a feature in the market all week has been the aggressive strength shown by the low priced shares, especially those of re-organized companies, the preferred stocks leading. Total sales of stocks were 110,751 shares, including the following: Sugar 21,300, Burlington and Quincy 5,800, Northern Pacific, preferred, 6,000, Western Union 5,200, New Jersey Central 6,200.

The bond market displayed a very strong tone during the week, with the dealings in considerable volume. The market was governed to a considerable extent by the developments operating to enhance share values. Purchases by leading interests immediately imparted decided impetus to the general tendency, with the inquiry for the liens of re-organized properties very brisk. Transactions for continental account were in large volume and included purchasees of the more prominent international mortgages. Some of the middle grade bonds were marketed, but the offerings were readily absorbed and a more general disposition was evident to carry lines of the low priced speculative issues. The usually inactive securities were conspicuous in the speculative list and sustained material improvements generally. The gilt edged bonds commanded fair attention but the variations were rather narrow.

The Chicago Markets.

Chicago, June 12 .- Wheat today recovered the great part of yesterday's decline, closing at about a %c advance. There was quite general coverings by shorts who had oversold yesterday, and who were stimulated by disquieting foreign crop damage reports. Other markets were sympathetically strong, although provisions alone made any substantial advance, closing at 5@75c higher. Oats v steady, the feeling being entirely in sympathy with corn and wheat. Trading was light all day and nothing of interest developed. Provisions were fairly active and higher.

Caught Under a Residence.

Yesterday morning at 6 o'clock Offcer I. F. Huggins arrested one Jack McLaurin, colored, who was found drunk and asleep under the residence of Mr. Walker, in Brooklyn. He stated that he had been robbed and carried where he was found, but that story did not go down, as he had several dollars on his person. In the city court yesterday morning he was found guilty of being drunk and down, and was held for further investigation as to his being under Mr. Walker's residence.

It Will Surprise You

In order to prove the great merit of Sly's Cream Balm, the most effective cure for Catarrh and Cold in Head, your druggist will supply a generous 10 cent trial size or we will mail for, 10 cents. Full size 50 cents.

ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City. Ely's Cream Balm has completely cured me of catarrh when everything else failed. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results,-Alfred W. Stevens, Caldwell, Ohio,